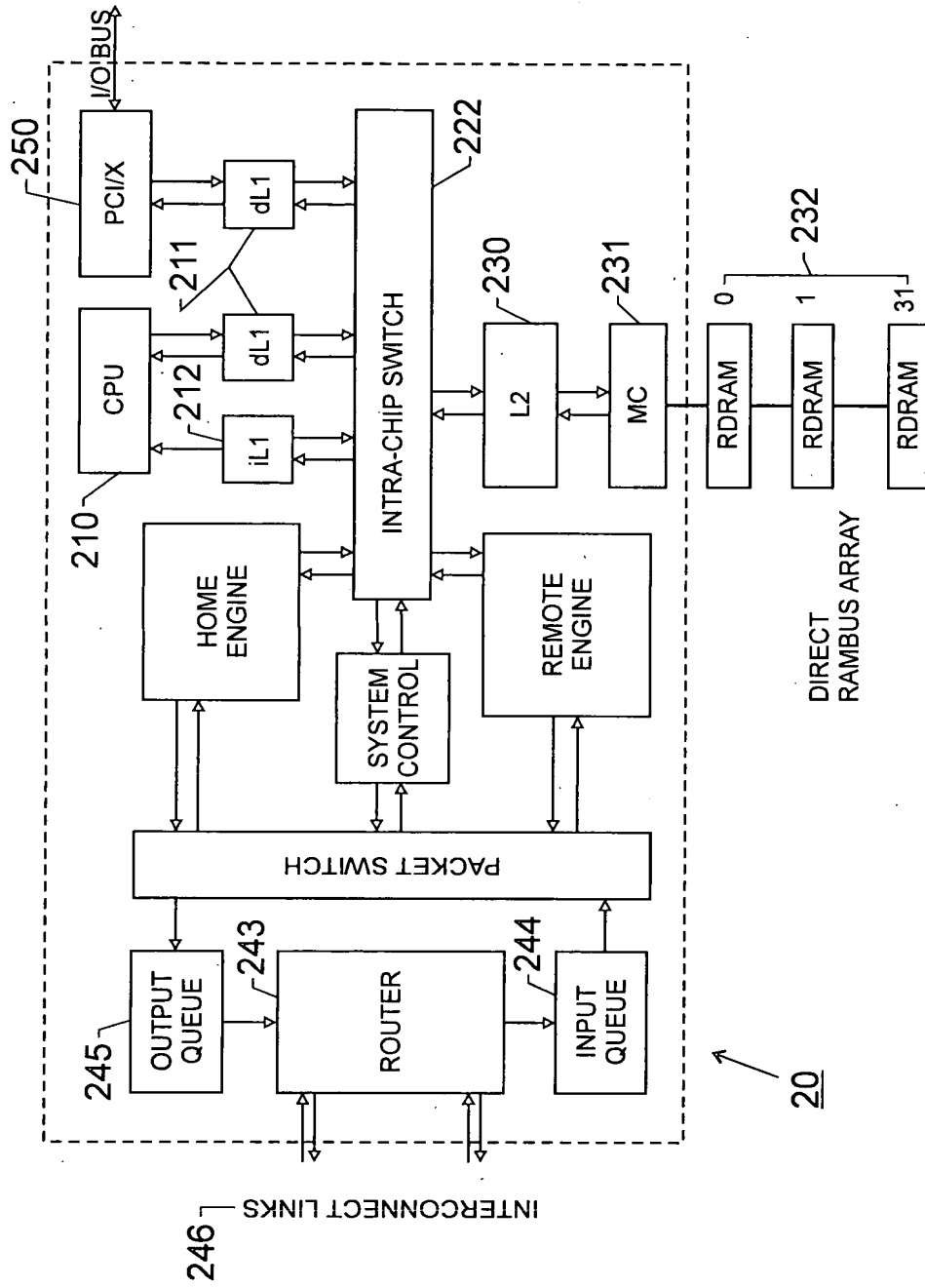


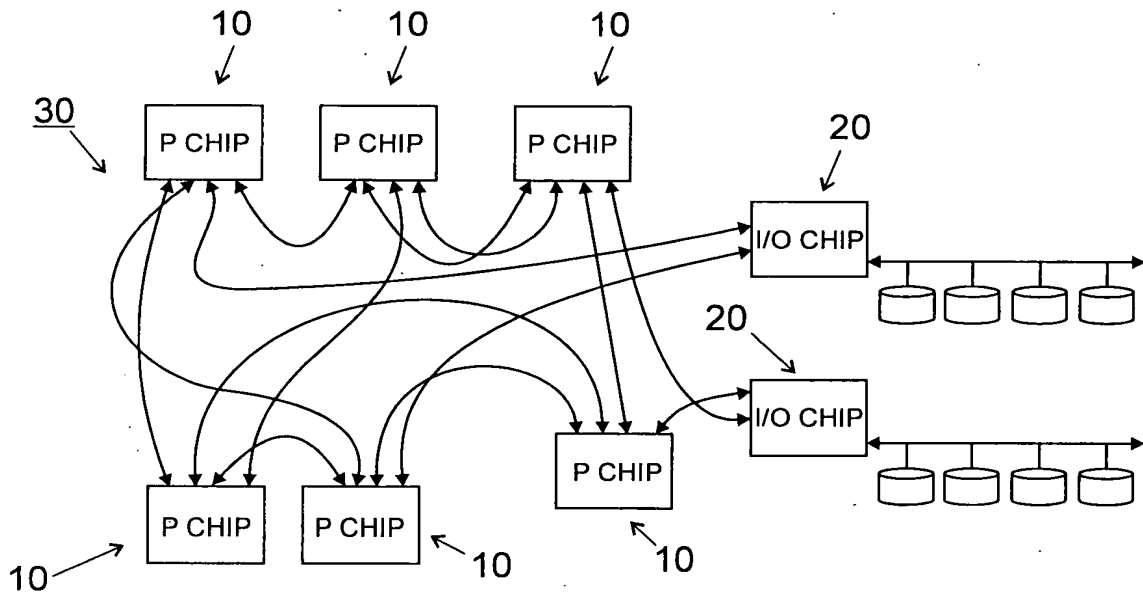
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FIG. 1



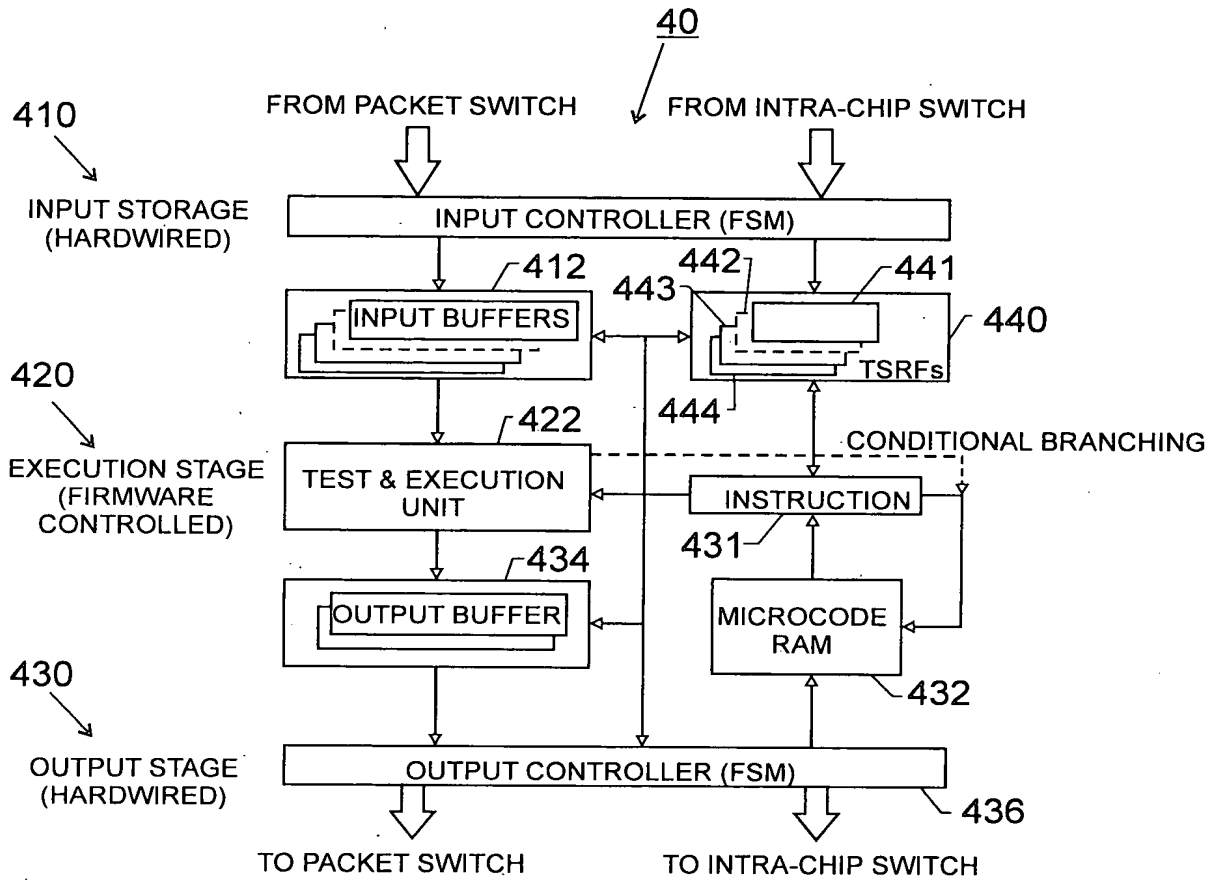
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FIG. 2



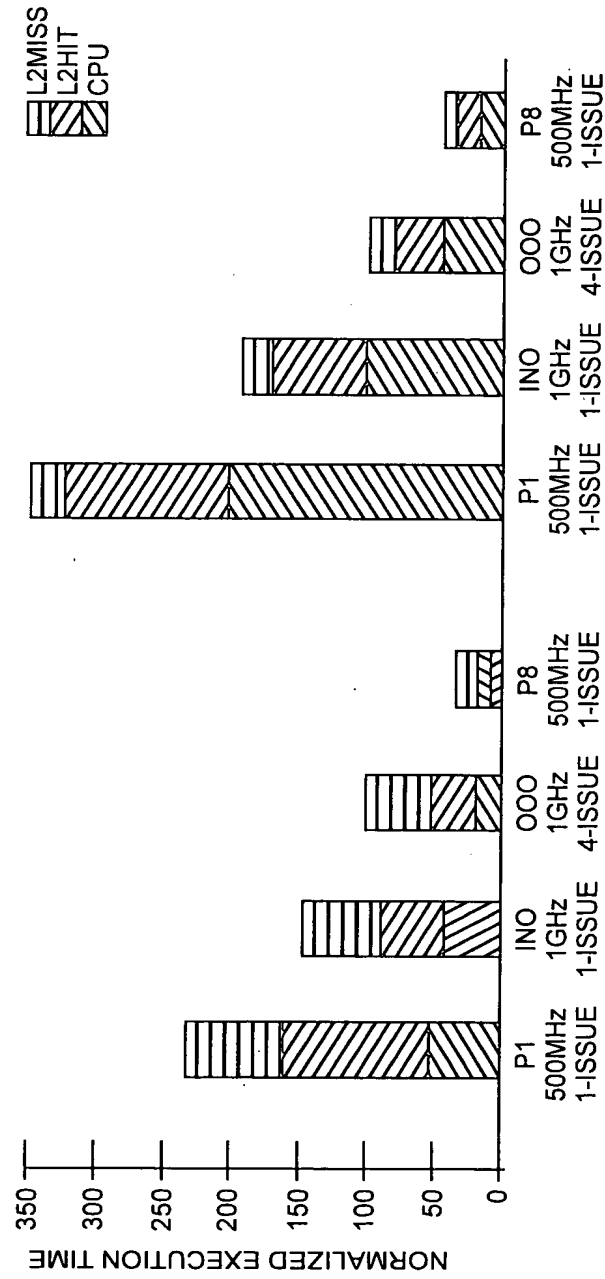
EXAMPLE CONFIGURATION FOR A PIRANHA SYSTEM WITH SIX PROCESSING (8 CPUs EACH) AND TWO I/O CHIPS.

FIG. 3



BLOCK DIAGRAM OF A PROTOCOL ENGINE

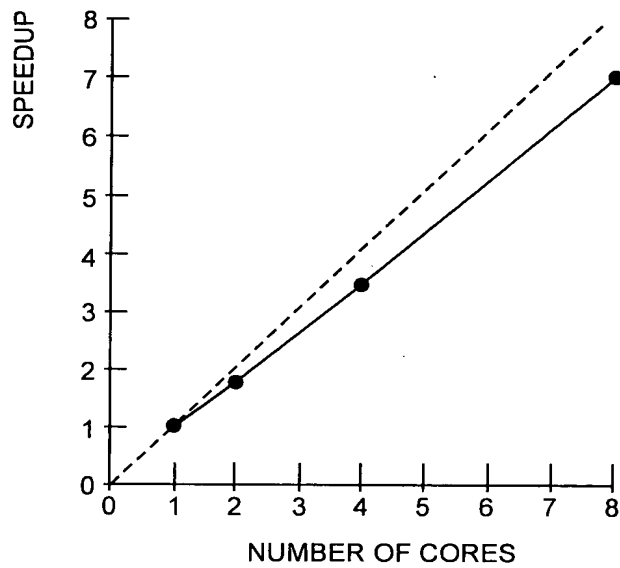
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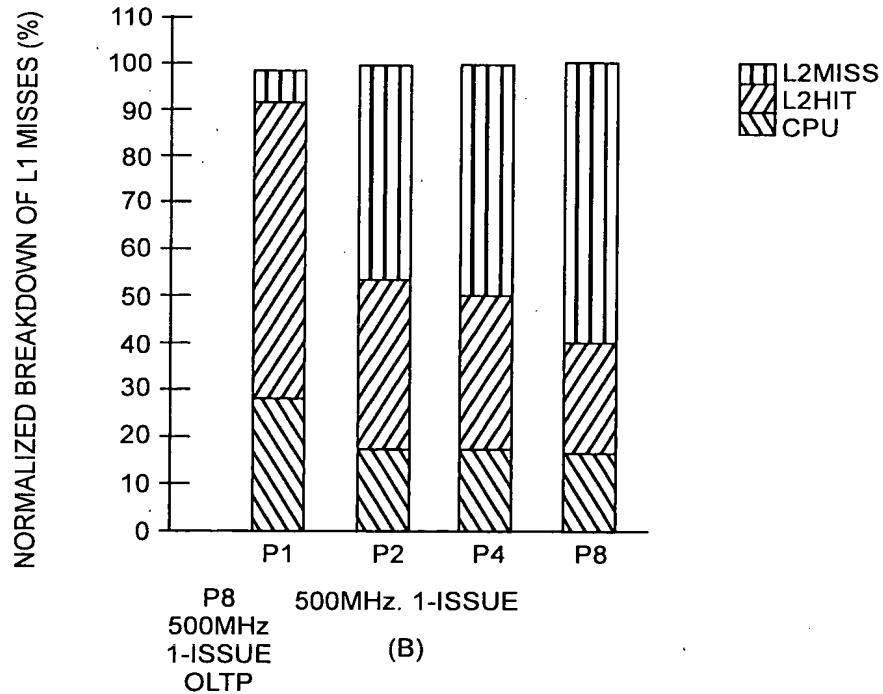
ESTIMATED PERFORMANCE OF A SINGLE-CHIP PIRANHA
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FIG. 5

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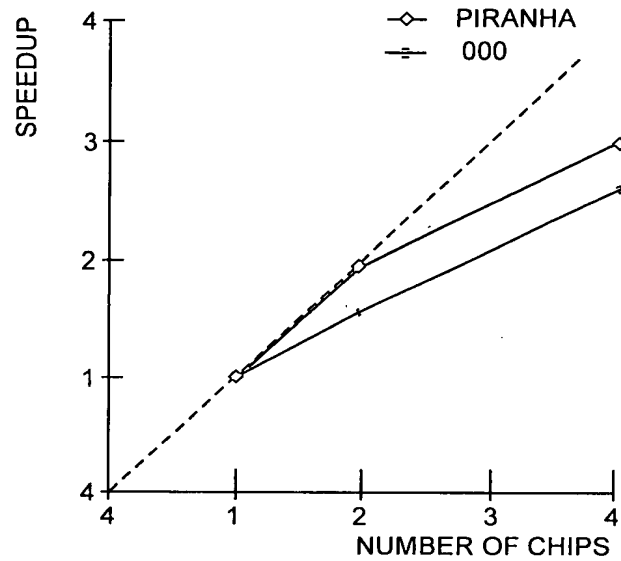


(B)

PIRANHA'S (A) SPEEDUP AND (B) L1 MISS BREAKDOWN FOR OLTP

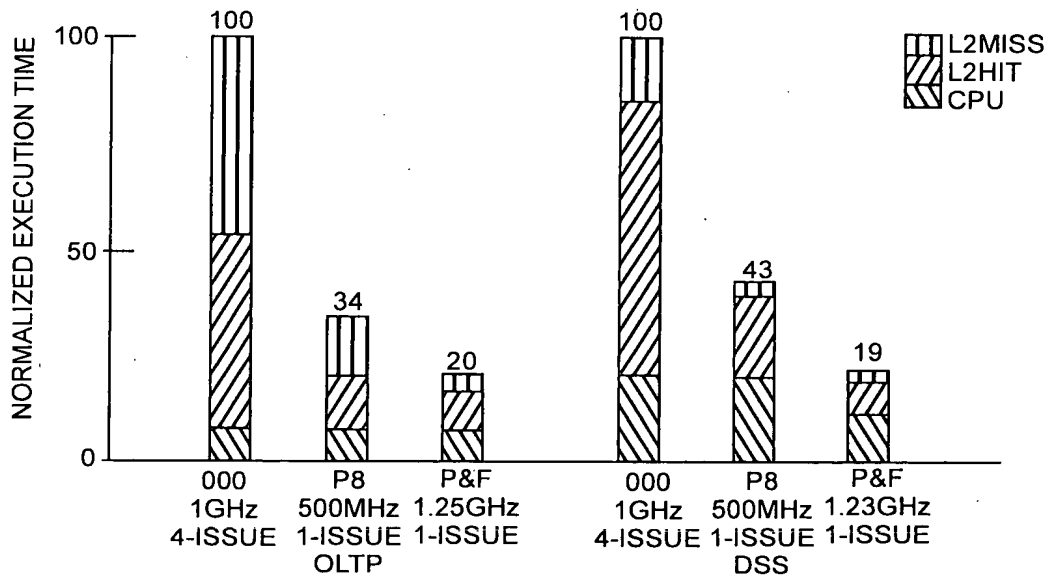
FIG. 6

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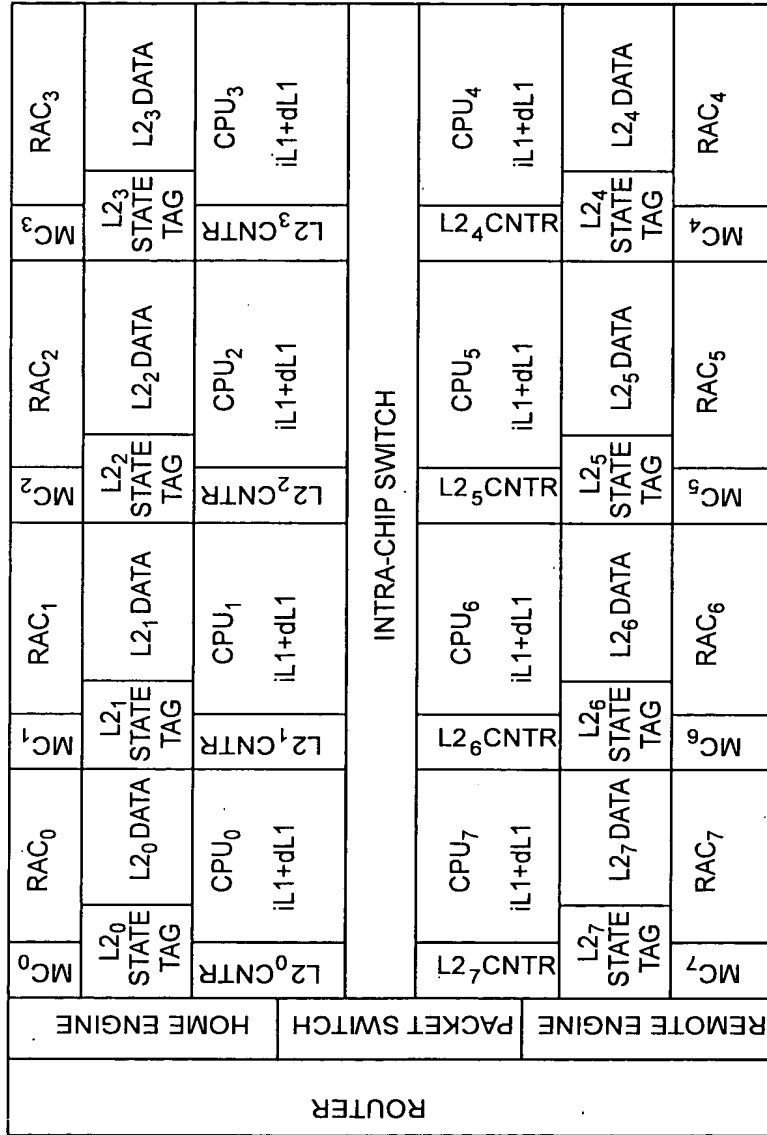
SPEEDUP OF OLTP IN MULTI-CHIP SYSTEMS WITH 500 Mhz 4-CPU PIRANHA CHIPS VERSUS 1 Ghz OUT-OF-ORDER CHIPS. (A SINGLE-CHIP 4-CPU PIRANHA IS APPROXIMATELY 1.5x FASTER THAN THE SINGLE-CHIP 000)

FIG. 7



PERFORMANCE POTENTIAL OF A FULL-CUSTOM PIRANHA CHIP FOR OLTP AND DSS

FIG. 8



FLOOR-PLAN OF THE PIRANHA
PROCESSING NODE WITH EIGHT CPU CORES

FIG. 9